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Legislature and an appropriation by the Appropriations Committee? Is it an okay from the Revenue Committee? Is it a resolution of the Legislature? So I pared it down just to strike those six words and with the hope that that would make it absolutely clear that it has to come back before the entire Legislature and, thus, this piece of legislation would be like the others with regard to economic development that we are dealing with this year. Thank you.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Thank you, Senator Beutler. Is there discussion on the Beutler amendment to the committee amendments to LB 936? Senator Chambers.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Mr. President and members of the Legislature, I'd like to sunset this bill today or deep-six it. I'm not in favor of this bill. I supported LB 1348 and I intend to continue to support that one, but simply saying that there are problems in the rural sector of the economy is not enough to make me support a bill like this. I'm going to bring some things to your attention based on discussions so far. I don't know whether Senator Matzke is aware of this, but there are huge wage disparities within the city of Omaha right now. There is no bill being enacted or even proposed in this Legislature to do away with that wage disparity. So the fact that there is a wage disparity between the part of the state where Omaha and Lincoln are located and the rest of the state is not a reason to pass a bill to try to raise those wages in the rest of the state. If this bill were genuine, they would put a minimum wage provision in it, but instead they are talking about averaging the subpar wages in a given region and then that's all the wage that one of these people who gets this kind of special consideration on their corporate income taxes will have to pay. It doesn't have to be a living wage. It doesn't have to be anything. Just average it out, and if you're in a very poor county in a very poor region, I'm giving an example, then you average out those poor wages and say that's what everybody is going to get here, and how has that eliminated a disparity in wages between that region and the eastern part of the state? It hasn't done anything. All of that is just conversation by way of fluff. It doesn't get to the heart of what it is we're doing. We're shifting taxing issues. Now this bill starts in Section 2 by talking about populations and economic growth in the last two